

## General Assembly

## **Amendment**

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Offered by:

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## "AN ACT CONCERNING THE EXPENDITURES OF THE OFFICE OF POLICY AND MANAGEMENT."

- After section 128, add the following and renumber the remaining sections accordingly:
- "Sec. 129. Subsection (a) of section 12-94b of the general statutes, as amended by section 57 of senate bill 2001 of the current session, is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof:
  - (a) On or before March fifteenth, annually, commencing March 15, 1998, the assessor or board of assessors of each municipality shall certify to the Secretary of the Office of Policy and Management, on a form furnished by said secretary, the amount of exemptions approved under the provisions of subdivisions (72) and (74) of section 12-81, together with such supporting information as said secretary may require including the number of taxpayers with approved claims under said subdivisions (72) and (74) and the original copy of the claims filed by them. Said secretary may reevaluate any vehicle included in such claim when, in the secretary's judgment, the valuation

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16 is inaccurate. Said secretary shall review each such claim and modify 17 the value of any property included therein when, in the secretary's 18 judgment, the value is inaccurate or exclude any property when, in the 19 secretary's judgment, it does not qualify pursuant to subdivision (72) 20 or (74) of section 12-81. Not later than December first next succeeding 21 the conclusion of the assessment year for which such exemption was 22 approved by the assessor or assessors, the secretary shall notify each 23 claimant and assessor or assessors of the modification or denial of the 24 exemption, in accordance with the procedure set forth in subsection (b) 25 of this section. With respect to property first approved for exemption 26 under the provisions of subdivisions (72) and (74) of section 12-81 for 27 the assessment years commencing on [or after] October 1, 2000, and 28 October 1, 2001, the grant payable for such property to any 29 municipality under the provisions of this section shall be equal to 30 eighty per cent of the property taxes which, except for the exemption 31 under the provisions of subdivisions (72) and (74) of section 12-81, 32 would have been paid. The secretary shall, on or before December fifteenth, annually, certify to the Comptroller the amount due each 33 34 municipality under the provisions of this section, including any 35 modification of such claim made prior to December first, and the 36 Comptroller shall draw an order on the Treasurer on or before the 37 twenty-fourth day of December following and the Treasurer shall pay 38 the amount thereof to such municipality on or before the thirty-first 39 day of December following. If any modification is made as the result of 40 the provisions of this section on or after the December fifteenth 41 following the date on which the assessor has provided the amount of 42 the exemption in question, any adjustments to the amount due to any 43 municipality for the period for which such modification was made 44 shall be made in the next payment the Treasurer shall make to such 45 municipality pursuant to this section. As used in this section, 46 "municipality" means each town, city, borough, consolidated town and 47 city and consolidated town and borough and each district, as defined 48 in section 7-324, and "next succeeding" means the second such date."